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> Federal Communications Commission 1919 M Street, N.W., 222 / Washington, D.C. 20554

Re: FCC Docket 92-235

Dear Ladies and Gentlemen:



The Board of County Commissioners of Sumner County, Kansas, is concerned that the new regulation proposed by the FCC will, if implemented as now appearing, cost our county the effective use of its present communication system. We have asked our County Engineer, Sheriff, Emergency Preparedness Director, and others to research and comment on this proposed regulation. The final results are unanimous in that the county's entire communication system would become immediately illegal. Likewise we are advised that replacement equipment is either not available, or cost prohibitive.

We are a rural county of approximately 25.000 population and